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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of: Rick Rowe

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Application No.: 10/241,398

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Filed: September 10, 2002

Group: 3714

Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
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## Tentative Participants:

- |                  |                |
|------------------|----------------|
| 1) David Olynick | 2) Keith Moore |
| 3)               | 4)             |

Proposed Date of Interview: April 7

Proposed Time: 2 PM

## Type of Interview Requested:

☐ Telephone ☒ Personal ☐ Video ConferenceExhibit to be Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, provide brief description:

**ISSUES TO BE DISCUSSED**

| Issues<br>(Rej., Obj., etc.) | Claims/ Fig.,<br>#s | Prior Art | Discussed                | Agreed                   | Not Agreed               |
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**BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF ARGUMENTS TO BE PRESENTED:**

Applicant will discuss differences between Itkis and current invention and advantages of current invention. For instance, player tracking device may act as a cache for downloaded software as described in specification.

An interview was conducted on the above-identified application on

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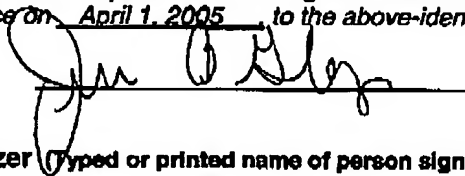
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